



# Notifiable Disease Report

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Notifiable diseases reported for Kent County residents through end of month listed above.

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED		MEDIAN CUMULATIVE Through November 2007-2011
	This Month	Cumulative 2012	
AIDS (Cumulative Total - 905)	2	21	29
AMEBIASIS	0	4	4
CAMPYLOBACTER	9	77	53
CHICKEN POX <sup>a</sup>	0	12	90
CHLAMYDIA	207	3195	2959
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS	1	30	14
Shiga Toxin Producing E. Coli <sup>b</sup>	0	5	N/A
GIARDIASIS	4	67	71
GONORRHEA	38	553	802
H. INFLUENZAE DISEASE, INV	0	5	2
HEPATITIS A	1	5	5
HEPATITIS B (Acute)	0	1	2
HEPATITIS C (Acute)	0	2	0
HEPATITIS C (Chronic/Unknown)	22	272	288
INFLUENZA-LIKE ILLNESS <sup>c</sup>	6754	47109	49749
LEGIONELLOSIS	0	11	7
LYME DISEASE	0	3	4
MENINGITIS, ASEPTIC	4	32	36
MENINGITIS, BACTERIAL, OTHER <sup>d</sup>	1	14	8
MENINGOCOCCAL DISEASE, INV	0	3	2
MUMPS	0	0	0
PERTUSSIS	0	9	6
SALMONELLOSIS	2	54	46
SHIGELLOSIS	0	13	9
STREP, GRP A, INV	2	22	14
STREP PNEUMO, INV	7	35	47
SYPHILIS (Primary & Secondary)	1	7	9
TUBERCULOSIS	4	17	19
WEST NILE VIRUS	0	21	1

### NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2012	DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2012
Guillain-Barre Syndrome	5		
Malaria	5		
Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease	2		

a. Chickenpox cases are reported primarily from schools. Confirmed and probable cases are included.

b. In November 2010, cases of *E. coli* O157:H7 were combined into the category "Shiga-toxin producing *E. coli* (STEC)"

c. Includes "Influenza-Like Illness (ILI)" and lab-confirmed influenza. ILI cases have flu-like symptoms and are reported primarily by schools.

d. "Meningitis, Bacterial, Other" includes meningitis and bacteremia caused by bacteria OTHER THAN *H. influenzae*, *N. meningitidis*, or *S. pneumoniae*.

Except for Chickenpox & Influenza-Like Illness, only confirmed cases (as defined by National Surveillance Case Definitions: [www.cdc.gov/epp/dphsi/casedef/case\\_definitions.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/epp/dphsi/casedef/case_definitions.htm)) are included.

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